## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

Timothy Cottrell,

Petitioner,

v. Case No. 1:07cv201

State of Ohio, Judge Michael R. Barrett

Respondent.

## **ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation filed September 11, 2007 (Doc. 12).

Proper notice has been given to the parties under 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C), including notice that the parties would waive further appeal if they failed to file objections to the Report and Recommendation in a timely manner. <u>See United States v. Walters</u>, 638 F.2d 947 (6th Cir. 1981). No objections to the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation have been filed.

Having reviewed this matter <u>de novo</u> pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court finds the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation to be correct.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. 12) is hereby **ADOPTED**. Petitioner's Motion for Default Judgment is **DENIED**. Respondent's Motion to Dismiss (Doc. 10) is **GRANTED**.

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A certificate of appealability as well an appeal in forma pauperis will not issue from the

United States District Court. However, Petitioner is free to request issuance of a certificate of

appeal including to proceed in forma pauperis from the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals. This

action is closed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Michael R. Barrett

Michael R. Barrett, Judge United States District Court

bac September 28, 2007

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